

ENEMY FALL BACK, ITALIANS ADVANCE

(By Associated Press)

LONDON, July 11.—The Italian offensive at Albania continues to advance. The enemy is falling back on Skume river, north of Berat, says a Rome dispatch.

British Improve Positions South of Somme

(By Associated Press)

LONDON, July 11.—The British improved their positions last night south of Somme and east of Villers-Bretonneux, the War Office announces. The Germans bombarded the British positions each of Amiens and on both sides of the Somme.

Army Casualty List Contains 58 Names

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, July 11.—The army casualty list contains 58 names. Killed in action, 5; died of wounds, 10. Died of disease, 2; died of accident and other causes, 1; wounded severely, 26; wounded slightly, 1; missing in action, 23.

THE FAIR FOREST CHAPTER D. A. R., UNION, S. C.

Program 1918-1919

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Battle and Historical Interest of Neighboring Counties

Tuesday, September 3rd, 5 O'clock Music.
Musgrove's Mill—Mrs. P. D. Barron.

Current Events—

Hostess, Mrs. D. M. Eaves.
Tuesday, October 1st, 4:30 O'clock Music.

Ninety Six—Mrs. C. H. Peak.
Current Events—

Election of delegates to State conference.
Hostess, Miss Minnie Lee Walker.

Tuesday, November 5th, 4 O'clock Music.
Andrew Pickens, the Wizard of Tomasee; D. A. R. Tomasee School—Mrs. D. A. Boyd.

Current Events—

Hostess, Mrs. L. G. Young.
Tuesday, December 3rd, 3:30 O'clock Music.

Cedar Springs—Miss Mary Emma Foster.

Current Events—

Hostess, Mrs. F. M. Farr.
Tuesday, January 7th, 3:30 O'clock Music.

Prince's Fort, Thickety Fort—Mrs. Davis Jeffries.

Current Events—

Payment of annual dues.
Hostess, Mrs. P. D. Barron.

Tuesday, February 4th, 3:30 O'clock Music.

Election of delegates to National Congress.

Ramblings in North Paolet—Miss Minnie Lee Walker.

Current Events—

Hostess, Mrs. P. K. Switzer.
Tuesday March 4th, 4 O'clock Music.

Cowpens—Mrs. Ida Perrin.

Current Events—

Hostess, Mrs. W. H. Sartor.
Tuesday, April 1st, 4:30 O'clock Music.

Kings Mountain—Mrs. Landy J. Hames.

Current Events—

Hostess, Mrs. Ida R. Perrin.
Tuesday, May 6th, 5 O'clock

Battle of Williamson's—Mrs. Lucy B. Barron.

Current Events—

Hostess, Mrs. D. M. Eaves.
Dear Daughters:—

THE LATE SUMMER AND FALL GARDEN

A Source of Food Supply Which Should Receive Attention Now

There is perhaps at this time no subject of greater importance to the people of Union County than late gardens, the food crops that provide for our wants during the early fall and winter months at small expense for labor and seeds, and the surest possible defense against the high cost of living. Prices on all food are advancing and we cannot rely upon buying from the more progressive people outside, even though we have the price. All excess food is scheduled to go to the soldiers. Realization of the truth of the above and inspiration make the remainder a matter of detail easily handled by the individual. The late summer and feed seed supply should be secured from a reliable dealer, and preferably from bulk, such seeds usually being higher in germinating properties and less expensive than the small packets. Just as in other things, the preference of the individual consumer should have weight in the matter of what to plant. Among the vegetables which may be planted now, are carrots, salsify, beets, English peas, potatoes, onion (seeds), radishes, cabbage, collards, etc., while during the period from August 1st to 15th, some of the above may still be planted, and additionally, rape, mustard, kale, spinach, lettuce, etc. Cuttings taken now from the large tomato plants and placed in usual order in soil and protected for a few days from hot sun and drought will produce a fall crop until frost. Every home should provide a cold frame in which to have such things as lettuce and radishes immune from frost. For further information apply to Union County Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture.

LAD CUTS OFF HIS SISTER'S FINGER

Little Rosa Louisa King, two year old, is at the Baptist hospital, where she was taken yesterday following an accident in which she lost the third finger of the left hand. He five year old brother chopped off the member while he and his sister were playing with a hatchet. The little girl is bearing her misfortune in a manner that is attracting admiration from her nurses. She was playing about the hospital halls and her bright face is smiling just as though nothing had happened.

The father of the children is George S. King, 1425 Hampton street. He is manager of the Columbia plant of the Southern Cotton Oil Company.—Columbia State.

This little lady is well known in Union, having frequently visited Mrs. A. H. Cottingham. Her friends are grieved to learn of her misfortune.

THE COMMUNITY CANNERY AND DRYER READY FOR USE

The Union Mills has installed a community cannery and dryer for the use of their people, the capacity of which is ample to conserve all food needed for the coming winter. The plant is just ready for operation and the people are very much interested.

A plant of similar proportions will soon be installed at Buffalo.

This is the only program that will be printed and each one of you is requested to preserve the copy for future reference.

With best wishes for a pleasant vacation, I am,
Faithfully yours,
Louisa Duncan Eaves, Regent.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LOSSES IN NEIGHBORHOOD OF 250,000

(By Associated Press)

ITALIAN ARMY HEADQUARTERS, July 10.—Evidence secured from Austrian prisoners indicates that the Austro-Hungarian losses during the recent offensive are in the neighborhood of 250,000.

FALL OF VON KUEHLMANN REGARDED BY GERMANY AS INTRODUCTION OF SERIES PAN-GERMAN VICTORIES

(By Associated Press)

LONDON, July 11.—The fall of Foreign Secretary von Kuehlmann, arranged by the Germany army headquarters, is regarded by Germany as an introduction of an open pan-German regime in control of the military leaders. Special dispatches from Holland said it is described as the biggest of a series of pan-German victories and pan-German papers don't disguise their delight over it. The reports of the appointment of Admiral von Hintze as foreign secretary is accepted as final by pan-German papers.

Robbers Get Little Booty

(By Associated Press)

KANSAS CITY, July 11.—American Express Company officials said that the robbers who held up a train near Paola obtained little money. They declared that \$50.00 worth of jewelry was probably the most valuable shipment the car contained.

Price Fixing on Manufacturing Of Cotton Products Discussed

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, July 11.—The placing of further price fixing regulations on the manufacturing of cotton products was discussed yesterday by Senator Smith, of South Carolina, with the President, it became known today. Senator Smith is understood to have urged that no action be taken in the regulation of one branch of industry which might work to the detriment of production on other phases of industry.

French Capture Town of Corcey, Fifty Prisoners Including One Officer

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, July 11.—The French captured the town of Corcey, including the railway station and the town of Corcey, southwest of Soissons, the War Office announces. Fifty prisoners, including one officer, were taken.

New Siberian Government Includes Many Things

(By Associated Press)

LONDON, July 11.—The objects of the new Siberian government includes repudiation of Brest-Litovsk treaty, the establishment of a Russian republic with autonomous Siberia, according to a declaration by a member of the new government to a Vladivostok correspondent to a Japanese paper, says the Tokio Dispatch. It is also proposed to rehabilitate the army and send troops against Germany.

Body of Mitchell Borne Thru Streets of New York; Thousands Pay Silent Tribute

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, July 11.—The body of John Purroy Mitchell in a flag draped casket on which rested the cap he wore as major of the aviation corps was borne through the streets today while tens of thousands watched in silent tribute. The bell at the city hall tolled as the casket was borne from the rotunda and placed on an artillery caisson, it was taken to the cathedral and thence to Woodlawn Cemetery. Six airplanes circled overhead and dropped flowers.

Posse Searching For Bandits Who Robbed Express and Mail Cars

(By Associated Press)

PAOLA, KANSAS, July 11.—A posse of 200 men today are patrolling the banks of Barais de Cygne river near here, awaiting the signal to rush the patch of woods in which there is believed to be in hiding a dozen men who late last night held up the southbound "Katy" passenger train just south of Paola and shot three persons and looted the express and mail cars and made their escape.

Nat Hoffman, White Soldier, Hanged For Criminal Assault

(By Associated Press)

WACO, TEXAS, July 11.—Nat Hoffman, a white soldier, was hanged early this morning at Camp McArthur convicted of criminal assault on a school girl last April.

**"If any man would not work
neither should he eat"**

This Apostolic injunction was good in the days of old,
it is applicable today, and in even a broader sense

Council of Defense

ITALIANS MAKE ADVANCE IN ALBAINA

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Official dispatches from Rome report an unchecked advance of the Italians in Albania, with Berat as the objective. From Vuyva the Italians have carried all positions to Semeni, in an advance of approximately 15 miles over a 50-mile front.

Health of Army is Satisfactory

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, July 11.—The weekly army health report today says that conditions in the home camps continue satisfactory. Deaths this week are 112 and last week were 81.

Thirty-Five on Marine Corps Casualty List

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, July 11.—The marine corps casualty list contains 35 names. Killed in action, 13; died of wounds, 4; wounded severely, 18. Private Charles A. O'Connor, of Orlando, Fla., was killed in action. Lieut. Geo. H. Yarborough, of Mullins, S. C., died of wounds.

NOTICE TO VOTERS OF UNION COUNTY

I wish to call attention to all prospective voters that they must register during the months of July and August, whether they have heretofore registered or not. Our Constitution requires registration every ten years, and all persons registered before the first day of July, 1918, must register again during July or August, or they will lose their right to vote. It is therefore very important that you register now, unless you have registered since the first day of July. The books will be open every day (except Sundays) during July and August, at the Court House.

I wish further to call attention to the Democratic voters of Union County to the fact that they must enroll on their respective Club Rolls by the last Tuesday in July, which is the last day of enrollment, the club books shall close on that day. This is important. In order to vote in the August Primary such enrollment is absolutely necessary. Failure to enroll will prevent you from voting. An entirely new enrollment this is required. See to it that you enroll at once. The time is short—the 30th of this month being the last day. The places and names of enrolling committees are being published in the paper.

J. A. Sawyer,
Chairman Union County Democratic Executive Committee.
July 11th, 1918.

LETTERS FROM FRANCE

June 9, 1918.

Dear Mother:

I will try and write you a few lines tonight. I have not heard from you yet—don't know whether you get my letters or not. I am well and in good health and doing fine. Don't worry about me, for I feel sure that I will see you again and I can tell you a whole lot that I am not allowed to write. It is raining tonight, the first we have had since we arrived.

Mother, write Ethel and tell her that I am not allowed to write but one letter a week and I want to write you, but will try and write soon. My address is Co. E, 118th Inf., A. E. F., via New York.

Nothing else to write.
Your loving son,
Carl Faucett.

May 29, 1918.

My dear Mother:

Just a few lines tonight to tell you I am well and having a good time over here and like it fine. It is the finest country that I ever saw and they do not raise anything but grain and vegetables and the crops are fine. Do not worry about me, only pray for me and I will come back to you. I am staying with a preacher and he has prayers every night, and all the boys are different from what they were.

The roads over here are fine. Wish I had our car over here—it would be grand.
Your loving son,
Carl.

TWO SERVICES AT FAIRVIEW SUNDAY

There will be two services at Fairview Baptist church Sunday. In the morning at 11 o'clock, the pastor will speak in the interest of the Aged Ministers Relief and after dinner Mr. Carbery, secretary of the Union County Chamber of Commerce will speak on the spiritual welfare of the community.
You are invited to attend both services.

NOTICE OF MODIFICATIONS OF GENERAL FOOD LAWS

Ice

All fountains and cold drink stands are allowed to use shaved or cracked ice in serving drinks.

Meats

All public eating places are authorized to serve beef in any form at one meal daily. They may choose the meal to suit conditions. By-products of beef may be served at any time.

Sugar

All merchants must report monthly sales of sugar to J. B. Lee, Spartanburg, S. C., and secure from him permits to purchase additional sugar. Sales must be confined to two pounds to a town customer and five pounds to a country customer, except that a customer may secure 25 pounds for canning and preserving purposes by signing a certificate that this sugar is to be used for these purposes only. All merchants should keep a supply of these sugar certificates on hand. They can be secured from the local food administrator or from the county food administrator.

Wheat and Flour

Farmers, threshermen, and millers are allowed to sell wheat of their own growing or that which they have received as toll for threshing or grinding. They may have ground at one time twelve months supply at the rate of twelve pounds per month for each member of their family and each tenant whom they supply, provided they give the miller a certificate stating that they will use one pound of substitute for each pound of wheat flour. They may sell wheat flour upon the same terms as the retail merchant—that is for each pound of flour sold they shall sell a pound of substitute or shall take a miller's certificate that he in the past ten days has ground an equal number of pounds of substitute for the purchaser.

I again call attention to the fact that the food administration condemns the giving of barbecues as tending greatly to the waste of meats. They trust that none of our citizens will be so unpatriotic as to continue this custom, but if some should be found who are willing to ignore the wish of the government they appeal to the patriotism of the citizens as a whole to stop it by refusing to patronize the same. This applies to private citizen, office-holder, and candidate alike.
Lowndes Browning.

WAR GARDEN AT MONARCH MILLS

The War Garden at Monarch Mills which last year was planted in tomatoes was this season planted in bush beans, not other land being available. The beans are now in full bearing and very pretty. The garden is cared for entirely by the children who work under the direct supervision of Mr. G. B. Sparks, the popular local demonstrator who has done so much for the Monarch community along lines of gardening, sanitation and many other things that make Monarch Mills a good place to live.

ICE CREAM SUPPER

There will be an ice cream supper Saturday night at the home of Mrs. Isaac Eison for the benefit of Sardis church. Everybody is invited.

There may be American crowds that do not appreciate logic, but there will never be an American crowd that will not appreciate grit.

Any man can keep his courage when he is winning. Only a fool or a philosopher can remain cheerful while losing.